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1. MAY 12 ISSUE OF NUCLEONICS WEEK CARRIES ARTICLE REPORTING ON IAEA DIRECTOR GENERAL EKLUND'S "MODIFIED" VIEWS ON U.S. NUCLEAR NON-PROLIFERATION POLICY, WHICH TO SOME EXTENT CORRECT AND MISAPPREHENSIONS EXPRESSED BY HIM AT PERSEPOLIS.

2. NEVERTHELESS, THE ARTICLE REFLECTS A FUNDAMENTAL MISUNDERSTANDING ON DG'S PART ABOUT ONE ASPECT OF U.S. POLICY, NAMELY, THAT THE U.S. WOULD REQUIRE IAEA SAFEGUARDS ON A RECIPIENT COUNTRY'S ENTIRE CIVIL NUCLEAR PROGRAM AS A CONDITION OF CONTINUED U.S. SUPPLY. AS ARTICLE SHOWS, EKLUND HAD APPARENTLY MISREAD INTENT OF THIS ASPECT OF U.S. POLICY AS MEANING THAT U.S. WOULD REQUIRE IAEA SAFEGUARDS ONLY ON SUPPLIED ITEMS (REGARDLESS OF SUPPLIER) BUT NOT RPT NOT ON INDIGENOUS ITEMS IN COUNTRY CONCERNED, WHICH, ACCORDING TO OUR UNDERSTANDING, IS INCORRECT.

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3. WE HAVE TAKEN STEPS TO CORRECT THIS MISUNDERSTANDING. STONE

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